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LEOMINSTER & WIGMORE RURAL DISTRICT
Herefordshire



Joint
ANNUAL REPORT
of the
Medical Officer of Health
and of the
Public Health Inspector
for the year 1959

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(As at 31st December 1959)

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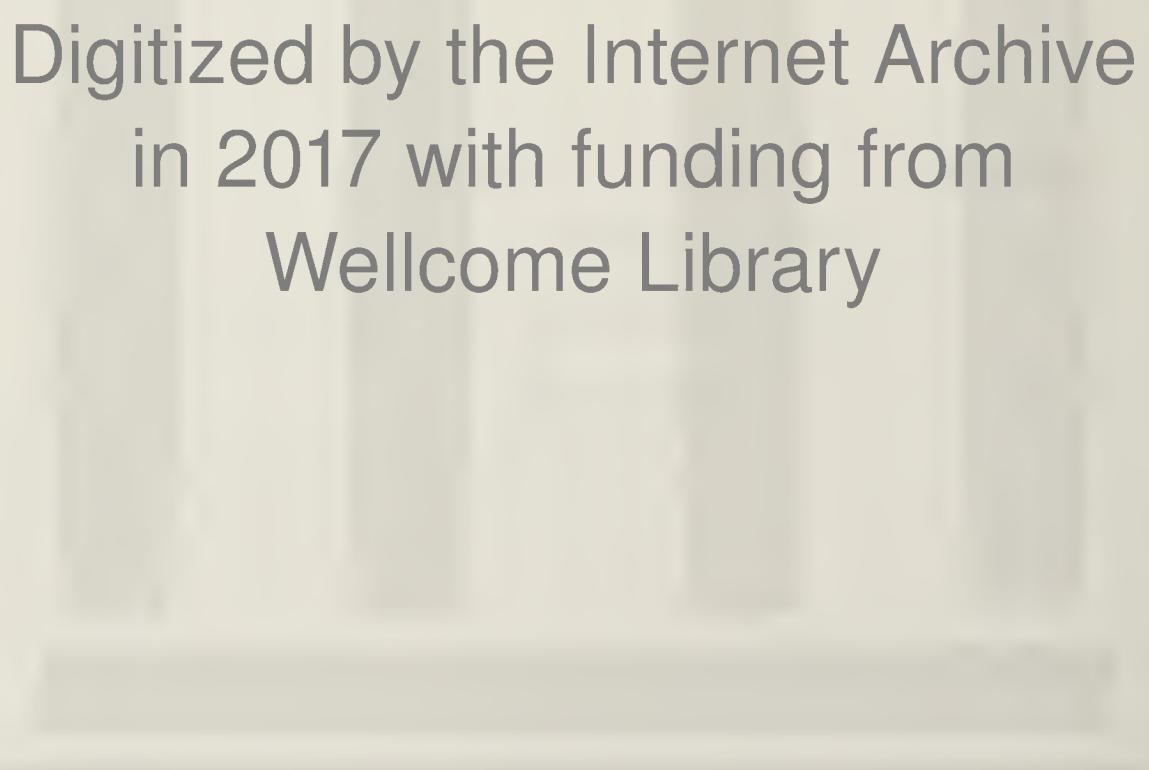
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To the Chairman and Members of the Leominster and Wigmore Rural District Council

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I herewith present my Annual Report for the year 1959, with the following comments.

Vital Statistics

The district has maintained its higher than average birth rate for four years now, which, in combination with the exceptionally lower death rate, gives an excess of births over deaths of 55.

Infectious Diseases

Nothing of note occurred during the year.

Drainage and Sanitation

Attention has previously been drawn to the deplorable disposal "system" at Kingsland. There did seem to be hope, after Committee members had seen for themselves what conditions were, that a new system would be provided, and I am glad to note that instructions have now been given to prepare plans for a disposal works for the village. It is fully realised that the nature of the countryside and its high water table make for technical difficulties, but the need is great.

Water Supplies

The problem of providing main water supplies to a wide area of the district occupied much of the members time during the year and a number of plans were submitted and approved in order that the new County Water Board should be able to proceed when formed.

Housing

Although no houses were built by the Council during the year, negotiations for new sites, and planning to extend older sites, proceeded during the year and should bear fruit in the near future.

In conclusion I wish to thank Mr. Bull for completing much of this report, and for his help in the past year, and Mr. Preece in my office in Leominster for providing the statistical section.

G.D.K. NEEDHAM

Medical Officer of Health

STATISTICS AND VITAL STATISTICS OF THE AREA

Area (in acres) .. .. .. .. ..	.. ..	94,101
Estimated mid-year home population .. ..	.. ..	10,000
Average number of persons per acre .. ..	.. ..	.106
Number of inhabited houses .. .. .. ..	.. ..	2,850
Average number of inhabited houses per acre .. ..	.. ..	.03
Average number of persons per house .. ..	.. ..	3.5
Rateable Value .. .. .. ..	.. ..	£73,314
Sum represented by a Penny Rate .. ..	.. ..	£282

LIVE AND STILL BIRTHSLive Births

		Males	Females	Total
Legitimate ..	78	78	156	
Illegitimate ..	5	1	6	
	—	—	—	
	83	79	162	
	—	—	—	

Live Birth Rate per 1,000 estimated mid-year home population:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D. (Crude)	16.2	15.0	15.2	15.8	12.8
" " " " (Adjusted)	19.0	17.5	17.8	18.6	15.1
England and Wales ..		16.5	16.4	16.1	15.7

Illegitimate Live Births

Per cent of total live births:

Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	3.7
England and Wales ..	5.1

Still Births

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate ..	2	4	6
Illegitimate ..	-	-	-

Still Birth Rate per 1,000 total live and still births:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D. ..	35.7	44.3	31.4	12.3	7.6
England and Wales ..	21.0	21.6	22.4	23.0	23.1

Total Live and Still Births

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate ..	80	82	162
Illegitimate ..	5	1	6
	—	—	—
	85	83	168

INFANT DEATH RATESNeonatal MortalityDeaths of Infants under 4 weeks old

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate	2	3	5
Illegitimate	-	-	-

Neonatal Mortality Rate per 1,000 live births:

Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	30.9
England and Wales ..	15.8

Perinatal MortalityStill Births and Deaths of Infants under 1 week old

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate	3	6	9
Illegitimate	-	-	-

Perinatal Mortality Rate per 1,000 live and still births:

Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	55.5
England and Wales ..	34.2

Infant MortalityDeaths of Infants under one year of age
(including those under 4 weeks)

	Males	Females	Total
Legitimate	2	4	6
Illegitimate	-	-	-

Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 related live births:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	(Total 37.0	19.8	32.5	18.8	22.9
	(Legitimate 38.5	21.4	27.7	19.9	24.2
	(Illegitimate Nil	Nil	100.0	Nil	Nil
England and Wales	(Total 22.2	22.5	23.1	23.7	24.9
	(Legitimate *	22.3	22.8	23.5	24.6
	(Illegitimate *	27.8	30.0	28.7	31.7

* figures not yet available.

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MATERNAL MORTALITY

Total number of Maternal Deaths .. Nil

Maternal Mortality Rate per 1,000 live and still births:

Leominster & Wigmore R.D. Nil
England and Wales .. 0.32

DEATHS

Males Females Total

Total number of deaths from
all causes: 55 54 109

Death Rate per 1,000 estimated mid-year home population:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D(Crude)	10.9	13.2	10.9	11.1	10.8
" " "	(Adjusted)	9.3	11.2	9.4	9.5
England and Wales	..	11.6	11.7	11.5	11.7

Cancer

Males Females Total

Total deaths from Malignant
Disease: 6 7 13

Cancer Death Rate per 1,000 estimated mid-year home
population:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	1.30	1.89	1.68	2.17	1.57
England and Wales ..	2.14	2.12	2.09	2.08	2.10

Cardio-Vascular Disease

Males Females Total

Total deaths from Cardio-
Vascular Disease: 30 30 60

Cardio-Vascular Death Rate per 1,000 estimated mid-year
home population:

	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	6.00	8.35	5.93	5.62	6.47
England and Wales ..	5.88	6.07	5.84	6.00	5.99

DEATHS (Continued)

	Males	Females	Total		
Total deaths from Respiratory Disease:	9	7	16		
Respiratory Disease Death Rate per 1,000 estimated mid-year home population:	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Leominster & Wigmore R.D.	1.60	1.29	1.08	1.38	0.98
England and Wales ..	1.53	1.37	1.38	1.35	1.32
<u>CAUSES OF DEATH (all ages)</u>					
	Males	Females	Total		
Tuberculosis, other than respiratory	-	1	1		
Malignant neoplasm, stomach	1	2	3		
Malignant neoplasm, lung, bronchus ..	1	2	3		
Malignant neoplasm, breast	-	1	1		
Other malignant & lymphatic neoplasms	3	2	5		
Leukaemia, aleukaemia	1	-	1		
Diabetes	-	1	1		
Vascular lesions of nervous system ..	10	9	19		
Coronary disease, angina	9	9	18		
Hypertension with heart disease ..	1	1	2		
Other heart disease	10	10	20		
Other circulatory disease	-	1	1		
Influenza	-	1	1		
Pneumonia	4	4	8		
Bronchitis	4	2	6		
Other diseases of respiratory system	1	-	1		
Ulcer of stomach and duodenum ..	1	-	1		
Nephritis and nephrosis	1	1	2		
Hyperplasia of prostate	2	-	2		
Congenital malformations	1	1	2		
Other defined and ill-defined diseases	3	4	7		
Accidents other than motor vehicle ..	1	2	3		
Suicide	1	-	1		
	55	54	109		

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED IN THE LEOMINSTER & WIGMORE RURAL
DISTRICT DURING THE YEAR 1959

Disease	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	TOTAL
Whooping Cough	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	21
Measles	28	20	5	8	12	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	76
Scarlet Fever	-	7	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	
Acute Pneumonia	1	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Food Poisoning	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Tuberculosis:	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Pulmonary	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED IN NORTH HEREFORDSHIRE
DURING THE YEAR 1959.

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Disease	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	TOTAL
Whooping Cough	5	1	7	6	2	-	1	3	1	1	3	8	38
Measles	82	117	60	30	23	42	20	3	-	-	1	-	388
Scarlet Fever	-	8	2	2	5	9	4	3	-	3	4	6	46
Erysipelas	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4
Acute Pneumonia	2	6	15	5	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	1	35
Dysentery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
Food Poisoning	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	3
Tuberculosis	Pulmonary	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	5
Tuberculosis	Non-Pulmonary	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	15
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NOTIFICATION OF INFECTIOUS DISEASECOMPARATIVE FIGURES FOR PREVIOUS YEARSLeominster and Wigmore R.D.

Disease	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955
Whooping Cough	21	8	62	8	24
Measles	76	74	99	46	185
Scarlet Fever	11	6	22	26	6
Erysipelas	-	1	2	-	2
Acute Pneumonia	9	4	16	4	3
Dysentery	-	5	-	1	-
Food Poisoning	1	3	1	-	-
Puerperal Pyrexia	-	-	-	2	1
Tuberculosis:					
Pulmonary	3	2	7	3	4
Non-Pulmonary	1	2	1	1	1
Acute Poliomyelitis:					
Paralytic	-	-	5	1	-
Non-Paralytic	-	-	5	-	-
Paratyphoid Fever	-	1	-	-	-

North Herefordshire

Whooping Cough	38	39	192	87	104
Measles	388	258	144	561	649
Scarlet Fever	46	28	71	42	33
Erysipelas	4	2	7	8	6
Acute Pneumonia	33	14	49	20	20
Dysentery	3	16	38	7	6
Food Poisoning	3	5	10	-	-
Typhoid Fever	-	-	-	-	1
Paratyphoid Fever	-	1	-	-	-
Puerperal Pyrexia	-	2	5	2	3
Tuberculosis:					
Pulmonary	13	7	33	19	28
Non-Pulmonary	2	3	4	6	9
Acute Poliomyelitis:					
Paralytic	-	-	12	1	2
Non-Paralytic	-	-	14	-	3
Malaria (contracted abroad)	-	-	-	-	1

COMPARATIVE CASE RATES FOR CERTAIN INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Disease	North Herefordshire	England & Wales
Whooping Cough	0.99	0.73
Measles	10.16	11.88
Scarlet Fever	1.20	1.05
Erysipelas	0.10	0.07
Acute Pneumonia	0.97	0.59
Dysentery	0.08	0.78
Food Poisoning	0.08	0.22
Tuberculosis:		
Pulmonary	0.34	0.54
Non-Pulmonary	0.05	0.06

TUBERCULOSIS

	Pulmonary		Non-Pulmonary	
	Males	Females	Males	Females
Number on Register at 31st December, 1958.	38	18	10	11
New cases notified	1	1	-	-
Moved out of district	1	2	-	-
Recovered	2	2	-	-
Number on Register at 31st December, 1959.	36	15	10	11

TUBERCULOSIS (Continued)

Year	New Notifications	Total cases on Register	Deaths	Recoveries
1955	5	85	1	5
1956	4	81	-	5
1957	8	82	1	5
1958	4	77	1	6
1959	2	72	1	4

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT, 1946, Section 26VACCINATION AND IMMUNISATION

Vaccination and Immunisation are a County Council responsibility, and the figures given below have been kindly supplied by the County Medical Officer of Health.

Numbers of children in the district who were immunised during the year:

Immunisation against	Age of child			Total	Reinforcing Injections
	Under 1	1-4	5-14		
Diphtheria	45	35	34	114	190
Whooping Cough	54	30	2	86	-

Numbers of children in the district who were vaccinated against Smallpox during the year:

Vaccination against Smallpox	Age of child					Total	Revaccinations
	Under 1 yr.	1 yr.	2-4	5-14	15 & over		
	85	2	-	1	7	95	21

NATIONAL ASSISTANCE ACT, 1948, Section 47NATIONAL ASSISTANCE (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1951

No action needed to be taken under this section during the year.

SANITARY CIRCUMSTANCES AND INSPECTIONWATER SUPPLIESPublic Supplies

Leintwardine. The new pumping and filtration plant is not yet in operation. The supply has been maintained throughout the year, and frequent analyses of the water have given satisfactory results.

Piped Water Supplies, other than Council house estates

Parish	Number of houses supplied	Ownership of supply	Source of water
Adforton	27	Council	Borehole
Aymestrey & Yatton	42	Council	River
Brampton Bryan	47	Private	Land spring
Eyton	7	Council	Borehole
Leintwardine	154	Council	Shallow well
Lingen	22	Council	Borehole
Luston	66	Council	Borehole
Richards Castle	23	Council	Borehole
Shobdon	44	Council	River
Wigmore	53	Council	Borehole

Sampling

Two hundred and eighteen samples of water for bacteriological examination were taken during the year and sent to the Laboratory at Hereford. These samples produced the following results:-

Satisfactory ..	164
Unsatisfactory ..	54

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE

Sewage Disposal Works on Council house estates have received frequent inspection. These plants are working satisfactorily. The contents of the settling tanks and humus tanks are removed at regular intervals, ensuring efficient operation.

Sewage disposal in the district is mainly by private septic tank and filter beds; in other cases by the conservancy system.

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE (Continued)Public Sewers, other than Council house estates

Location	Number of dwellings connected	Sewage Disposal
Brampton Bryan	27	Septic Tank
Kingsland	85	None
Leintwardine	157	Septic Tank
Wigmore	74	Land irrigation

The sewers in the above parishes are owned by the local authority. There are no privately owned sewers in the district.

REFUSE COLLECTION

A satisfactory house-to-house refuse collection is carried out by the local authority. Collections are made twice monthly in the larger parishes, and once a month in the smaller ones.

All refuse is disposed of by tipping. Tips are situated at Shobdon, Leintwardine, Brimfield, and Risbury.

DISINFECTION - INFECTIOUS DISEASE

Twentyone inspections and re-inspections were made in connection with infectious disease, and disinfection was carried out in eight houses.

FACTORIES AND WORKSHOPSFactories Acts, 1937 and 1948

Premises	Number on Register	Number of		
		Inspections	Written Notices	Occupiers prosecuted
Factories in which Secs. 1,2,5,4, & 6 are to be enforced by local authority	19	24	-	-
Factories not included above in which Sec.7 is enforced by L.A.	30	30	-	-
Other premises in which Sec.7 is enforced by L.A.	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	49	54	-	-

FACTORIES AND WORKSHOPS (Continued)Cases in which defects were found

Inadequate ventilation .. 1	Remedied .. 1
Fire escapes .. 2	Remedied .. 2

SANITARY INSPECTION OF THE AREA

List of inspections made under various Acts and Orders and under enactments governing Meat and Food.

Inspections, etc., under	Number	Informal Notices Served	Statutory Notices Served	Notices complied with
Housing & Public Health Acts	240	98	-	93
Factories Acts	54	3	-	3
Milk Regulations, 1949	31	-	-	-
Bakehouses	8	1	-	1
Food Premises	330	3	-	3
Schools	28	-	-	-
Water supplies	221	42	-	33
Infectious Disease	21	-	-	-
Knackers Yard	48	1	-	1
Hop-Pickers Quarters	8	2	-	2

HOUSING

No houses were constructed by the Local Authority during the year.

The number of houses built by private persons during the year was ten.

Inspections of Dwelling Houses during the Year

1 (a) Total number of dwelling houses inspected for housing defects under the Public Health and Housing Acts	151
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose	240
2 (a) Number of houses found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation	98

HOUSING (Continued)Action under Statutory Notices during the Year

Proceedings under Public Health Acts ..	Nil
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Notices Issued

Informal	98
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Statutory	Nil
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Defects Remedied

The following list relates to major defects only which were remedied, or in connection with which repairs were carried out.

Spouting repaired	48	Pumps repaired	14
Roofs	49	Defective floors	48
New drains	50	Windows repaired	54
Septic tanks	53	Doors repaired	14
Dampness	18	Chimneys repaired	48
W.Cs. provided	42	Plaster repaired	27
Defective cesspools	2	Defective cooking	
New sinks fitted	38	stoves etc	15
Defective wells	17	Stairs repaired	14
Baths fitted	38	Pantries provided	12
W.Cs. repaired	1	Foul earth closets	-
Drains repaired	49	Washing facilities	
New wells	3	provided	15
		Other Nuisances	1

Housing (Financial Provisions) Act, 1958
as amended by the House Purchase & Housing Act, 1959Discretionary Grants

Sixteen grants were approved during the year for improvements to private dwellings. This makes a total of 149 grants since the Act came into operation.

House Purchase & Housing Act, 1959Standard Grants

Seven standard grants were approved during the year.

Van Dwellings

There is one small licensed caravan site situated at Hope-under-Dinmore, and several other van dwellings scattered around the district. Most of those of the permanent type are situated in Abbey Lane, Leintwardine, and have their own water supply and drainage. The remainder are of a temporary nature and are privately owned. In general, they obtain their water from the nearest dwelling, and use chemical closets.

Camping Sites

Where camping does occur in the district, it is only for short periods.

HOUSING (Continued)Council Houses

Parish	Name of Housing Estate	Number of Houses	Source of Water Supply	Sewage Disposal
Adforton	Orchard Close	6	Borehole	Complete works
Aymestrey	Council Houses	2	River	Septic tank
Bodenham	Caldervale	10	Borehole	Complete works
	Old Council Houses	4	Borehole	Complete works
Brimfield	Wyson Avenue	14	Borehole	Complete works
	Old Council Houses	2	Shallow well	Cesspool
Hope-under-Dinmore	Council Houses	4	Shallow well	Septic tank
Kimbolton	Chestnut Ave.	12	Borehole	Complete works
	New Road	2	Shallow well	Septic tank
Kingsland	Boarsfield	12	Shallow well	None
	Old Council Houses	6	Shallow well	Cesspool
	Hostel	6	Borehole	Septic tank
Leintwardine	Rosemary	12	Shallow well	Septic tank
Lingen	Council Houses	4	Borehole	Septic tank
Little Hereford	Temple Meadow	8	Borehole	Complete works
	Aynall Lane	2	Spring	Septic tank
	Old Council Houses	4	Shallow well	Cesspool
Luston	Westland View	10	Borehole	Complete works
	Eye Lane	4	Shallow well	Cesspool
Monkland	Baker Lea	10	Borehole	Complete works

HOUSING (Continued)Council Houses (Continued)

Parish	Name of Housing Estate	Number of Houses	Source of Water Supply	Sewage Disposal
Orleton	Green Lane	10	Borehole	Complete works
	Halletts Well	10	Shallow well	Septic tank
	Council Houses	2	Shallow well	Septic tank
Richards Castle	Springfield	10	Borehole	Complete works
Shobdon	The Grove	16	River	Complete works
Wigmore	Ford Street	8	Borehole	Land irrigation
	Old Council Houses	8	Borehole	Land irrigation
Yarpole	James Close	8	Shallow well	Septic tank

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD

Three hundred and thirty inspections were made at various foodshops in the district. Three notices were served, and the improvements required were carried out.

The undermentioned food was condemned as being unfit for human consumption:-

Meat	450 lb.
Tinned foods	16 lb.
Other foods	40 lb.
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	506 lb.
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Number and type of Food Premises

- (a) Grocers (including sale of fruit, fish, game, vegetables, and pre-packed ice-cream) .. 27
- (b) Sweets and Sugar Confectionery (Including sale of pre-packed ice-cream) .. in (a)
- (c) Restaurants & Catering Establishments (including fish and chip fryers, and sale of pre-packed ice-cream) .. 6
- (d) Licensed Premises (hotels, inns, & clubs) .. 24

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD (Continued)Number and type of Food Premises (Continued)

(e) Bakers and Confectioners	..	2
(f) Butchers	..	4
(g) Central Kitchen for School Meals	..	1
(h) Corn Stores and Shops	..	5
(i) Mobile Canteens	..	Nil

Number of Food Premises Registered under
Section 16 of the Food and Drugs Act, 1955(j) Sale of pre-packed ice-cream

Grocers	..	20
Restaurants	..	3
Confectioners	..	1
Butchers	..	1

(k) Preparation or Manufacture of Sausages, or
Potted, Pressed, Pickled or Preserved Food

Butchers	..	2
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Milk Supply

Number of Dairies registered under Milk and Dairies Regulations, 1949 (excluding farm dairies) .. 16

Slaughterhouses

Two licences were renewed during the year for private slaughterhouses in the district.

Method of Disposal of Condemned Food

Meat	-	to the Knackers Yard and Kennels
Other Foods	-	by burial

Meat

The two licensed slaughterhouses in the district are both situated at Leintwardine.

Carcasses and offal inspected and condemned in whole or in part and set out in the following table

INSPECTION AND SUPERVISION OF FOOD (Continued)Meat (Continued)

	Cattle excluding Cows	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs	Horses
Number killed	273	65	7	1762	215	Nil
Number inspected	252	65	7	1403	196	-
<u>All diseases except</u> <u>Tuberculosis and</u> <u>Cysticerci</u>						
Whole carcases condemned	-	-	-	1	-	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	20	-	-	64	4	-
Percentage of the number inspected affected with diseases other than tuberculosis and cysticerci	8.6%	-	-	4.6%	2.0%	-
<u>Tuberculosis only</u>						
Whole carcases condemned, and carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Cysticercosis</u>						
Whole carcases condemned, and carcases of which some part or organ was condemned	-	-	-	-	-	-

PREVENTION OF DAMAGE BY PESTS ACT, 1949

A survey of all premises is being carried out under the above Act. Private dwelling houses are treated free of charge. The sewers were test baited, but no evidence of rats was found. Refuse Tips and sewer outfalls received periodic treatment.

	Type pf Property				Agricul-tural	
	Non-Agricultural					
	Local Authority	Dwelling Houses	All other (includg. Business Premises)	Total		
I. Number of properties in Local Authority's District	7	2526	191	2724	561	
II. Number of properties inspected as a result of:						
(a) Notification	-	19	-	19	-	
(b) Survey under the Act	7	214	41	262	87	
(c) Otherwise (e.g. when visited primarily for some other purpose) -		115	61	176	19	
IV. Number of properties inspected (in Sc. II) which were found to be infested by:						
(a) Rats	Major Minor	- 7	- 31	- 2	- 40	
(b) Nits	Major Minor	- -	19 -	4 -	23 -	
V. Number of infested properties (in Sc. IV) treated by the Local Authority	7	50	-	57	-	
VI. Total treatments carried out - including re-treatments	20	51	-	71	-	
VII. Number of notices served under Sc. 4 of the Act (Treatment and Structural Work)	-	-	-	-	-	
X. Number of "Block" control schemes carried out	-	2	-	2	-	

